

The Demand Requisition is a new feature and process in ProcureAZ version 9.0 which will give the parent or sponsor agency the ability to poll their child or participating agency for procurement needs. The Demand Requisition provides the ability for agencies to combine forecasted demand into a single solicitation, allowing for better unit pricing.

Basic Purchaser users have the ability to create a Demand Requisition with a list of items to send out to multiple agency users. Emails are generated and sent to the specified agency users all at the same time to allow all agencies to make requests independent of each other. Each participating agency user updates the items tab with quantity needed.

Participant User Roles

Only authorized Basic Purchasing users can open a Demand Requisition, based on privileges set by the Internal/Organization Administrator. If the user has this permission, then Demand Requisition will display as a choice in the Requisition Type drop down at document creation.

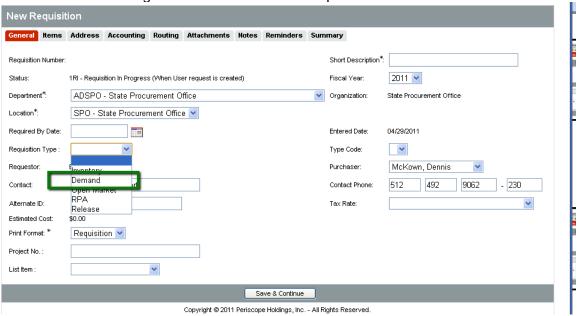
User roles that are able to participate in a Demand Requisition are:

- Basic Purchaser
- Department Access
- Inventory User

A user who is not part of at least one of the three groups will not appear as a selection choice when the Basic Purchaser selects participants.

Creating a Demand Requisition

The Basic Purchaser opens a new requisition, enters a Short Description, and chooses **Demand Requisition** in the Requisition Type drop down box. Once the user clicks **Save and Continue**, the page will refresh and the tab bar will have changed to the new Demand Requisition tab bar.



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(New tab bar for demand requisitions. Note the addition of Participants and Responses tabs, and the removal of the Accounting tab, because there is no accounting associated with demand requisitions)

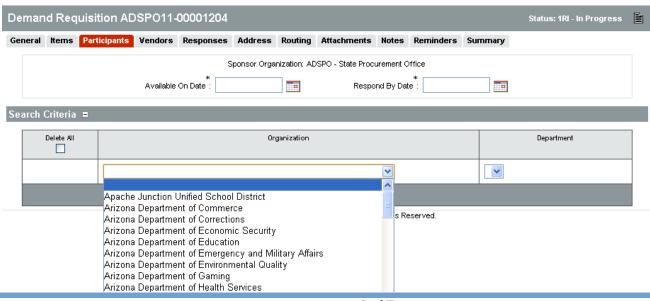
Add items from the Items tab per current process for creating requisitions.

Select Participants

Navigate to the Participants tab to search for agency users to participate in the Demand Requisition. Complete the **Available On Date** (when you want users to be able to add quantities) and **Respond by Date** (when you want users to complete their input) fields.



Using, the dropdown/lookup function, select each organization desired to find intended users, then choose **Save & Continue**.

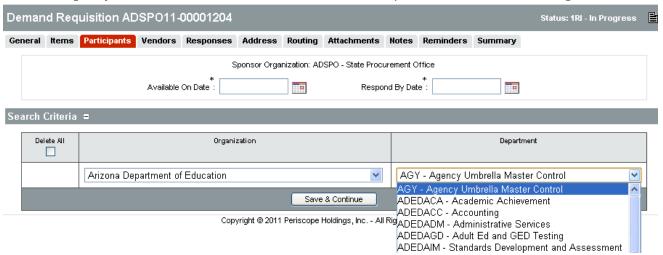




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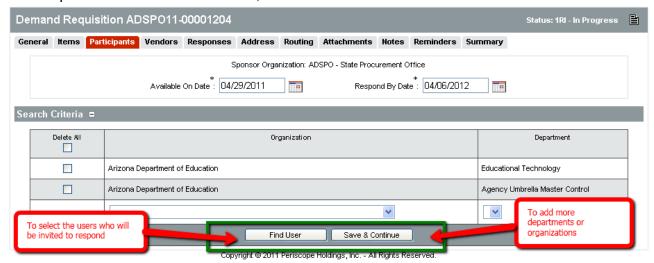


Select the desired department from the Department drop-down menu, then choose **Save and Continue**. Choose "Agency Umbrella Master Control" if the demand requisition is for the entire Organization.



Continue until all orgs and departments have been added.

Once departments have been selected, the Find User button will be visible.



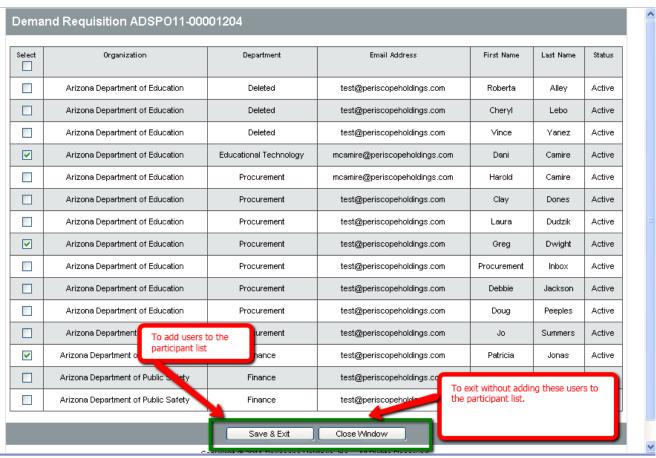
Click Find User.

Use the boxes in the Select column to indicate which users should be notified of the demand requisition.









All users who are added to the requisition will be able to add their input to the quantities of items desired.

Click the "Select" box next to the user you want to invite to participate, and click "Save & Exit". From the main tab, click the **Email Participants** button to email all participants from the page. This will send a request email to those users listed asking them to add their input to this requisition.



If desired, participants can be deleted from the list by checking the box in the 'delete' column and clicking **Delete**.

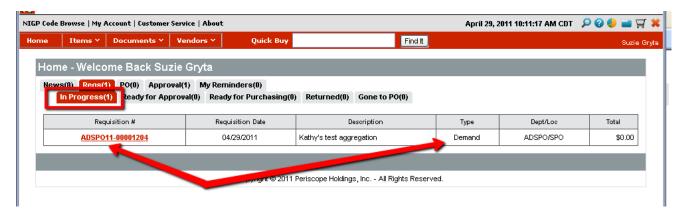




Responding to a Demand Requisition

Participants will be notified by email that they have been invited to respond to a demand requisition.

Once you login, you will see the demand requisition on your home screen under Requisitions in Progress.

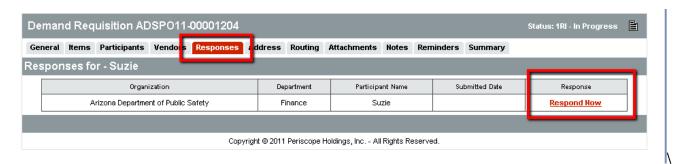


Click the link to open the requisition.

Click the items tab to see what items you may request.

Click on the Participants tab to view the Respond By Date. You may create responses until the end of the day on that date. Note that this date may be changed by the sponsoring agency.

Click the Responses tab, and click the **Respond Now** link next to your name to create a response.

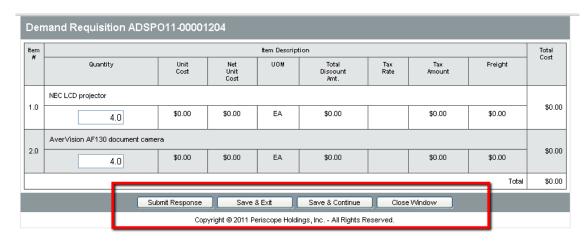


Edit the quantity next to the items to indicate how many your business unit would like to order. Click **Save & Exit** to save this response for further editing. AT THIS POINT YOUR RESPONSE HAS NOT BEEN SUBMITTED.

Click Save & Continue, and the **Submit Response** button will display. Choose Submit Response to submit your response to the sponsoring organization. Choose Save & Exit to save the document for further editing and exit. Choose Save & Continue to save input and continue editing this document. Choose Close window to exist without saving changes.

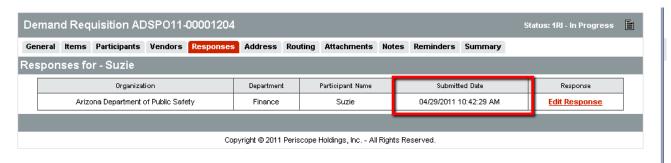






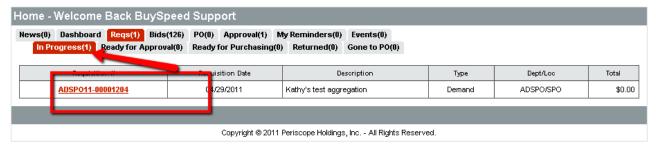
To re-open a response for further editing, return to the Responses screen and choose the Edit Response.

Responses that have been submitted to the sponsoring organization will display the timestamp in the Submitted Date column. You may re-edit and re-submit your response as often as you like until the Respond By date has passed.



Viewing Responses

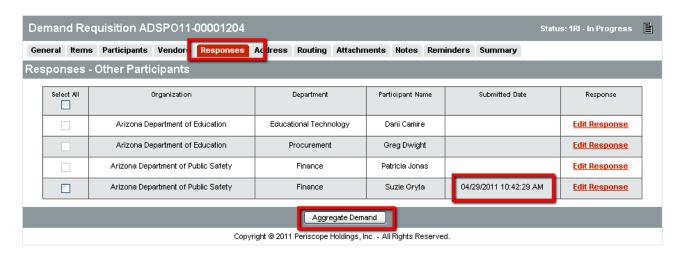
The demand requisition will appear under the Requisitions: In Progress tab of the Purchaser's Home Screen. Click the requisition number to access the document.



To view the participant responses, click the Responses tab.







There will be a timestamp in the Submitted Date column next to all participants who have responded.

To view individual participant's responses, click the **Edit Response** link. If desired, the Purchaser may edit and change the amounts on the participant's response, and resubmit the response.

To aggregate all responses into the demand requisition, indicate in the Select column which responses should be included (or click the box under "Select All") and click **Aggregate Demand**.

Quantities of the items under the Items tab will be updated to reflect the totals of all responses selected.

Completing the Demand Requisition

Once all responses have been aggregated, the sponsoring agency may make whatever changes desired to the item quantities.

Complete the remainder of the requisition as you would any document, and process through all required steps.

NOTE that there will be no accounting on this requisition.



